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Banks.

THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, £2,000,000.
CAPITAL CALLED UP, £201,994.15.6.

Bankers:
CAPITAL & COUNTRY BANK, LIMITED.

Head Office:
3, PRINCES STREET, LONDON.

Branches:
BOMBAY, CALCUTTA, HONGKONG & SHANGHAI.

Agencies:
PENANG, SINGAPORE AND YOKOHAMA.

RATES OF INTEREST.

Allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits can be ascertained on application. Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER 1853.

HEAD OFFICE, LONDON.

CAPITAL PAID-UP, £200,000.

RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHAREHOLDERS, £200,000.

RESERVE FUND, £275,000.

INTEREST allowed on Current Account at the rate of 2% per annum on the Daily Balance.

On Fixed Deposits for 12 months 5%.

On " " " " " 4%.

On " " " " " 3%.

A. C. MARSHALL, Manager, Hongkong.

Hongkong, May 17, 1894.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, £10,000,000.

RESERVE FUND, £4,500,000.

RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHAREHOLDERS, £10,000,000.

PROPRIETORS:

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LONDON BANKERS—LONDON AND COUNTY BANKING CO., LD.

HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Account, at the rate of 3% per annum on the daily balance.

On Fixed Deposits:—

For 3 months 3% per annum.

" " " " " 4%.

" " " " " 5%.

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 13, 1894.

HONGKONG SAYINGS BANK.

THE business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be obtained on application.

INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 3% PER CENT. per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on FIXED DEPOSIT at 5 PER CENT. per annum.

For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, May 15, 1894.

THE MERCHANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, £1,500,000.

SUBSCRIBED, £1,125,000.

PAID-UP, £602,500.

Bankers.

LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LTD.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at the rate of 2% per annum on the Daily Balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS:—

For 12 months 5%.

For 6 months 4%.

For 3 months 3%.

JOHN THURBURN, Manager, Hongkong.

Hongkong, June 18, 1894.

Intimations.

TO THE COMMUNITY OF HONGKONG.

THE COMMITTEE appointed at the Public Meeting held on the 27th September, 1894, to take steps to recognize the Services rendered to the Colony during the recent Plague beg to state that, having carefully considered the matter, they now APPEAL for FUNDS in order to carry out the following Recommendations:—

1. That a Gold Medal be presented to certain Officers, Volunteers and Nurses, and a Silver Medal to all the Non-Commissioned Officers and men of the Shropshire Light Infantry and of the Shropshire Light Infantry and of the Engineers and Navy who volunteered for and were employed on Plague work, and to the members of the Police Force and the members of the Civil Service who were also so employed.

2. That a Piece of Plate be presented to the Officers' Mess of the Shropshire Light Infantry, to the Royal Engineers' Mess and to Colonel Robinson and Lieutenant Boyes.

3. That a Shield engraved with the names of the Sergeants who were employed as above, to be kept in the Sergeants' Mess, and also a Cup for Football, be presented to the Regiment.

4. That a Memorial brass or small stained glass window be erected in St. John's Cathedral to the Memory of Captain Vesey.

5. That a Contribution be made to the Italian Convent in recognition of the services rendered by the Sisters.

The Committee estimate that the sum of about \$5,000 will be required to carry out these recommendations. This, they believe, is not an excessive amount to ask the Colony to contribute.

They would remind all the inhabitants of Hongkong that these services were rendered to the whole Community, therefore they ask the Community to join in recognizing them. If this is done, a small contribution from each would soon raise the amount now asked for.

SUBSCRIPTION LISTS are lying at the ENGLISH, GERMAN, PORTUGUESE and CITY CLUBS, and with Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & CO., KELLY & WALES LIMITED, the HONGKONG DISPENSARY, the VICTORIA DISPENSARY, Messrs. BLACKBURN & CO., HONGKONG HOTEL and NEW VICTORIA HOTEL.

E. J. ACKROYD, Chairman of Committee.

Hongkong, October 26, 1894.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

1893 ACCOUNT.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

A Final DIVIDEND of \$5 per SHARE has This Day been declared. WARRANTS will be issued on MONDAY, the 22nd Instant.

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., General Agents.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

Hongkong, October 20, 1894.

THE JELEBU MINING & TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

A DIVIDEND of 5% for the Half-year closing 31st July, 1894, having been declared, COUPON No. 9, is PAYABLE at the BRANCHES of the CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA AND CHINA, in Hongkong and Singapore, on and after 15th October, as follows:—

Lot A for 50 Shares with \$12.50

" " " " " 20 " " \$ 5.00

" " " " " 10 " " \$ 2.50

HUTTENBACH BROTHERS & CO., General Agents.

22nd October, 1894.

CHAS. J. GAUFF & CO., Chronometer, Watch & Clock Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths.

NAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS.

VOYAGERS' CELESTIAL BINCULARS AND TELESCOPES.

ROUTINE'S LIQUID AND OTHER COMPASSES.

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English SILVER & ELECTRO-PLATED WARE.

Christie & Co.'s ELECTRO-PLATED WARE.

GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY in great variety.

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AND—

DIAMOND JEWELLERY, A Splendid Collection of the Latest London PATTERNS, at very moderate prices. 743

Business Notices.

LANE CRAWFORD & CO.

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HOSIERY and OUTFITTING.

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SHIRTS, COLLARS, TIES, BRACES, HANDKERCHIEFS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

TELEPHONE 97.

Hongkong, October 12, 1894.

HONGKONG HOTEL.

Telegraphic Address: "Kremis"—A. B. C. Code.

BOARD and LODGING, from \$5.00 per day.

HYDRAULIC LIFT to all Floors.

The HOTEL STEAM LAUNCH conveys passengers and baggage to and from all Mail Steamers.

R. TUCKER, Manager.

HOTEL CHAMBERS.

BOARD and LODGING, from \$80 per month.

ROOMS TO LET on 2nd and 3rd Floors, FURNISHED or UNFURNISHED.

Apply to R. TUCKER, Manager, or R. LYALL, Secretary.

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1,400 FEET ABOVE THE SEA LEVEL.

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THIS MAGNIFICENT HOTEL is situated at the most beautiful and healthy part of the HUI District. The air is delightfully cool and bracing; the temperature being at least 10 degrees lower than in the valley below. Luxuriously furnished and appointed. THE CUISINE is under the personal superintendence of an experienced EUROPEAN STEWARD.

LAWN TENNIS:—Three Courts in splendid condition are kept for the use of VISITORS.

TRAMWAY TICKETS are supplied to Residents and Visitors at the HOTEL at reduced rates.

For further Particulars, apply at the OFFICE 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central, or to THE MANAGER, MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL.

Hongkong, September 24, 1894.

W. POWELL & Co.

EX STEAMSHIP GLENGYLE.

NEW WINTER MILLINERY.

New JACKETS and GOLF CAPES.

New CHILDREN'S DRESSES and HATS.

New SPECIALITIES for Winter Wear.

W. POWELL & Co.

Hongkong, October 23, 1894.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

WILL despatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on the DATES named:—

FOR: SHANGHAI, Hongkong, about 4th Nov. Freight or Passage.

SHANGHAI, Hongkong, about 4th Nov. Freight or Passage.

LONDON, &c., Rosetta, Noon, 8th Nov. See Special Advertisement.

JAPAN, &c., Yokohama, Noon, 9th Nov. Freight or Passage.

LONDON via MARSEILLES, Marseilles, about 9th Nov. Freight or Passage.

For further Particulars, apply to P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, H. H. JOSEPH, Superintendent.

Hongkong, October 27, 1894.

Vinolia Soap.

"VINOLIA" IS A REFINED SOAP.

It keeps the complexion fresh and clear.

No other Soap has received such high awards as "VINOLIA" SOAP.

DON'T ECONOMIZE AT THE EXPENSE OF YOUR COMPLEXION.

VINOLIA SOAP—All Prices. VINOLIA SHAVING STICKS—All Prices.

VINOLIA CREAM (For Washing, Face Spots, &c.), and VINOLIA POWDER (For the Complexion).

H. KONG TRADING CO.

(JUST OPENED).

KID GLOVES.

ALL KINDS.

HONGKONG TRADING CO.,

No. 1 to 5, D'AGUIAR STREET.

Hongkong, October 23, 1894.

Business Notices.

DAWSON'S PERFECTION OLD SCOTCH WHISKY.

ALLISTON & Co.,

HONGKONG AND THE FAR EAST.

62, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

Hongkong, November 11, 1893.

Intimations.

VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB.

THIS CLUB will hold the ANNUAL REGATTA on THURSDAY and FRIDAY, 19th and 20th December, 1894. Captain and Crews for the CHALLMAN'S CUP will be picked in the Club Gymnasium on MONDAY, 29th October, at 6 p.m.

E. D. SANDERS, Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, October 26, 1894.

Intimations.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

A Final BONUS of FIVE PER CENT. on CONTRIBUTIONS and a DIVIDEND of NINE DOLLARS per SHARE for the Year 1893 will be Payable on MONDAY, the 8th Instant. WARRANTS may be had on application at the Office of the Society on and after that date.

By Order of the Board, DOUGLAS JONES, Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, October 6, 1894.

Intimations.

THE Undersigned are prepared to GIVE ESTIMATES for Fitting the PATENT PROCESS on Land and MARINE BOILERS for Burning CHARCOAL, COAL DUST, &c.

GORDON & CO., BOWMAN FOUNDRY, East Point.

Hongkong, August 20, 1894.

Intimations.

PRIVATE BOARD and RESIDENCE for LADIES and GENTLEMEN. Special attention to Ladies' comfort. Accommodation for Table Boarders. Central situation.

Mrs. MATHER, 2 and 3 Peddar's Hill.

Hongkong, July 24, 1893.

Intimations.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's S.S. Wingang having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside.

Cargo respecting the discharge or remaining on board after 4 p.m. of the 26th Inst., will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into Godowns at East Point.

No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., General Managers.

Hongkong, October 24, 1894.

Intimations.

THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's S.S. Kintuck having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG & KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN CO., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the Office of the Undersigned before Noon on the 31st October, or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 30th October.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and no Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 31st October will be subject to risk.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-day.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, October 25, 1894.

Intimations.

TO LET.

NO. 2, PRINCE STREET, next to the Post Office.

Apply to G. O. ANDERSON, 13, PRINCE CENTRAL.

Hongkong, March 16, 1893.

Intimations.

TO LET.

DWELLING HOUSES—HIGHLANDER, at MAGAZINE CAMP, No. 1, KIN PONG ROAD.

No. 3, OLD BAILEY.

No. 9, ORANGE LANE.

A HOUSE in WEST END TERRACE, Bonham Road.

FLOORS in BLUE BUILDINGS.

FLOORS in ELGIN SQUARE, PHIL. SQUARE and STRAITS STREET.

FLOORS in No. 5, STREET STREET.

GODOWNS—BLUE BUILDINGS.

No. 7A, PRINCE CENTRAL.

Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY CO., LTD.

Hongkong, October 10, 1894.

Intimations.

TO LET.

NO. 7, SYNGHATE TERRACE.

OFFICES in KOWLOON BUILDINGS.

GODOWNS in WANGHAI, at the back of MCGREGOR'S BUILDINGS.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SON & Co.

Hongkong, October 8, 1894.

Shipping.

Steamers.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUI.

The Co.'s Steamship, Captain HONG, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 28th Instant, at Daylight.

Hongkong Rates of Postage.

In the following Statements and Tables the Ratios are given in cents, and are, for Letters *per half ounce*, for Books and Patterns, *per two ounces*.

For example, if the price of a pound is written as double, treble, &c., as the pound may be, but such papers or packets of papers may be sent at Book Rate. Two Newspapers must not be folded together as one, nor must anything whatever be inserted except bond file Supplements of the same paper, and the same Rate is charged for papers which may however be enclosed, if the whole be paid at Book Rate. Prices Current may be paid either as Newspapers or Books.

Commercial Papers signify such papers as, though Written by Hand, do not bear the character of an actual or personal communication, and are in no wise distinguished from the other papers of the same kind, as Music &c. The charge on them is the same

The sender of a Registered Article for the United Nations may obtain an acknowledgment of delivery on paying an extra fee of 50 cents.

The limit of weight for Letters and Commercial Papers for Foreign Post Offices is 4 lbs. Patterns for such offices are limited to one each except for Australia, Belgium, Bolivia, Brazil, Egypt, Free State, Costa Rica, Ecuador, Congo, France, Greece, Guatemala, Hawaii, Holland, Hungary, Italy, Japan, Liberia, Luxemburg, Mexico, Persia, Peru, Portugal, Rumania, Salvador, Servia, Siam, Spain, Switzerland, Tunisia, The Argentine Republic, The Dominican Republic, The Republic of Honduras.

United States, 10 when priced 12 oz. (2 grammes) is the limit, and must not exceed these dimensions: 12 inches by 8 inches by 4 inches.

Countries of the Postal Union.
 The Union may be taken to comprise civilised countries except Cape Colony.

Postage to the United Kingdom.

Letters,	10 cents per ½ oz.
Post Cards,	3 cents each.
Registered,	10 cents.
Books, Patterns and	
Comm. Papers,	2 cents per 2 oz.

Postage to Union Countries.
General Rates, by any route:—

Letters, 10 cents per $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.
Post Cards, 3 cents each.
Registration, 10 cents.
Newspapers, 2 cents each.
Books, Patterns and
Covers, 2 cents per 2 oz.
There is no charge on redirected cor-
respondence within the Postal Union.

Postage to Non-Union Countries.
Cape Colony—Letters, 20; Regis-
tration, 10; Newspapers, 5; Books and P-
ticles, 5 per 2 oz.

LOCAL POSTAGE.
General Local Rates for Hongkong,
Macao, China, Corea, Japan, North Borneo,
Siam, Straits Settlements, Coochin-Chin,
Tonquin, and the Philippines—
Letters per $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 5 cents (*c.*).

Post Cards, each, 1 cent.
Books and Patterns, per 2 oz., 2 cents.
Newspapers and Prices Current, each
cent.
Registrations, 5 cents.

(2) Between Hongkong, Canton, and Macao
2 cents.

Local Delivery.

1. All correspondence posted before 9
p.m. on any week day for addresses in
Victoria will be delivered the same day.
Toway (Ship Street) to Bonham Street
West, up to level of Robinson Road, at
a.m. 10 a.m., noon, 2 p.m., 4 p.m., 6 p.m.
In the Suburbs, 9 a.m., noon, 5 p.m., until
the delivery should be retarded by the Office.

2. Boxholders who desire to send Circulars, Dividend Warrants, Invitations, Orders, &c., all of the same weight, to addresses in Hongkong, or the Ports of China, may deliver them to the Post Office unsealed, and the Office will then charge to the sender's account. Each batch must consist of at least ten.

3. Boxholders may also send Patterns to the same places in the same way. Envelopes containing Patterns may be wholly closed, if the nature of the contents be exhibited or stated to the Postmaster General, as he may consider necessary, and approved by him. Printed Circulars may be inserted in such Pattern Packets.

The Post Office declines all responsibility for Unregistered Letters containing R. Notes or Jewellery and, where registration has been neglected, will not be ENQUIRIES into alleged losses of such letters.

It is forbidden to insert in ordinary Registered Correspondence (a) Current (b) Articles liable to Customs Duty.

Parcel Post to the United Kingdom.
Parcels not exceeding 11 lbs. in weight are received in Hongkong and at British Post Offices in China, for transmission to the United Kingdom by P. & O. *via Gibraltar*. No parcel is sent with Overland Mail *via Brindisi*. Parcels that

fore arrive in London about eight days after the Mail. Parcels may be sealed, and any parcel, even though sealed, is liable to be opened and examined.

Parcels must be posted in Hongkong before 3 p.m. on the day before the departure of the Mail. Those arriving from Coast, &c., after this hour are kept for following P. & O. Mail.

The Postage is 25 cents per lb. and 25 cents each succeeding lb or fraction of lb, which includes Registration fee, and is payable in stamps. No further charge is made for weight exceeding 100 lbs. except for Customs duties. No parcel must be more than 3 feet 6 inches in length, or 6 feet greatest length and girth combined. A receipt is given for each Parcel.

The sender must fill up a form of Customs Declaration, which can be obtained from each Post Office. No parcel can be accepted until this is completely and accurately filled. The only articles ordinarily forbidden are those which are liable to duty on Tea and Tobacco.

Dangerous or perishable goods, articles likely to injure the Mails, Liquids (not securely packed) or parcels easily crushed such as sand-boxes, are prohibited. No parcel can be received if its value exceeds \$5. A Parcel may contain a letter to the addressee of the parcel, or the parcel itself, or other Parcel to the same addressee. Other enclosures are allowed.

With regard to Parcels, addressed to the Government, the War Office, the

Mail is not opened until the ordinary transmission of letters, &c., is finished. The postage on Parcels at home is 10d. per lb. The Regulations are generally similar to those above, and the Parcels are sent out by *Gibbairat*.

* N.B.—These rates are now under consideration.

† Under consideration.

Indemnity for the Loss of a Registered Article.
The Post Office is not legally responsible for the safe delivery of Registered correspondence, but it is prepared to make good the contents of such correspondence lost.

The image is a high-contrast, black and white photograph. The upper portion shows a dense, granular texture, resembling a wall of small, light-colored particles or a large number of small, light-colored objects. A dark, horizontal band runs across the middle of the image, separating the textured upper section from a darker, more uniform lower section. The overall appearance is abstract and somewhat chaotic.

General. This should be acted on the first time cause of complaint occurs; it is mistake to let such matters pass for fear giving trouble, a course which generally gives more trouble in the end.

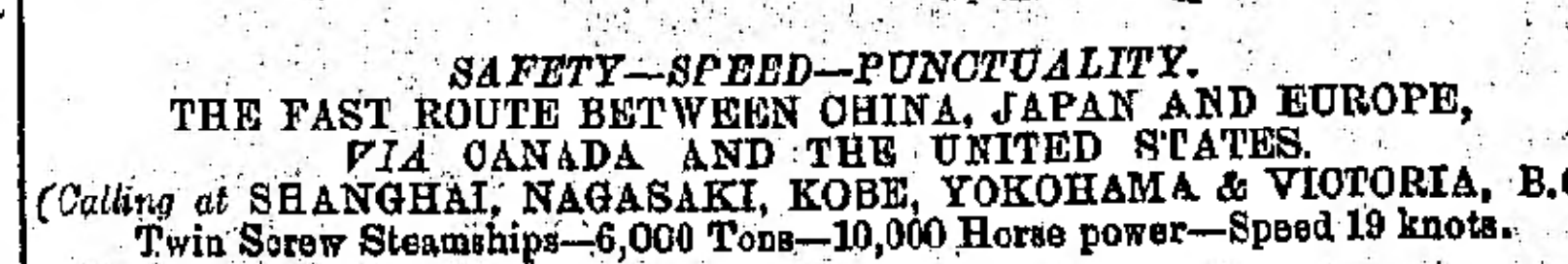
1. Circulars, Divided Warrants, Invitations, Cards, Patterns, Bills, Almonces &c., for addresses in Hongkong or the Port of China, in batches of not less than ten uniform size and weight may be sent the Post Office unstamped, the postage, the rate of one cent each, being paid in cash or charged to the sender's account. The account may be opened with the holders for the delivery of considerable numbers of such articles.

2. Such covers, when addressed to places other than Hongkong or China, must be prepaid two cents each in stamps as heretofore.

3. Circulars, &c., must not exceed one ounce each in weight. Patterns, Almonces must be under 1/2 ounce each in weight. Heavier articles will be charged ordinary rates.

4. Envelopes containing Patterns, &c., may be wholly closed if the nature of the contents be first exhibited or stated to the Postmaster General, as he may consider necessary, and approved by him. Printed covers may be enclosed in patterned packets.

5. Addresses must be complete. The name to be on such covers as are not addressed to heads of houses the addresses residences or place of business must be added. Incompletely addressed covers will be returned to the sender for address.



PROPOSED SAILED FROM HONGKONG.

EMPERESS OF CHINA.....Comdr. T. A. MALLAM, R.N.R..... WEDNESDAY, 31st Octob.

EMPERESS OF INDIA.....Comdr. G. A. MARSHALL, R.N.R..... WEDNESDAY, 28th Nov.

EMPERESS OF JAPAN.....Comdr. O. P. LEAL, R.N.R..... WEDNESDAY, 26th Dec.

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THE magnificent Steamships of this Line pass through the famous INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, and usually make the voyage YOKOHAMA TO VANCOUVER (B.C.) in 19 Days, making close connection at Vancouver with the PALATIAL TRANS-CONTINENTAL TRAINS of the CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY leaving there daily, and cross the Continent FROM THE PACIFIC TO THE ATLANTIC WITHOUT CHANGE. Close connection is made at Montreal, Quebec, Halifax, New York and Boston with all Trans-Atlantic Lines, which passengers to Great Britain or the Continent are given choice of.

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SPECIAL RATES (first class only) granted to Missionaries, Members of the Navy, Military, Diplomatic and Civil Services, and to European Officials in the Services of China and Japanese Governments.

CRUISE TRIP TICKETS Hongkong to Vancouver, Vancouver to Sydney, Australia via Honolulu, and Sydney to Hongkong via Brisbane and Torres Strait. Good for 2 months \$100.

The attractive features of this Company's route, embraces its PALATIAL STEAMSHIPS, (second to none in the world), the LUXURIANCE of its TRANS-CONTINENTAL TRAINS (the company's own), and the highest rates for passage at sea, and the world's unrivalled facilities for the diversity of MAGNIFICENT MOUNTAIN AND LAKE SCENERY through which the Line passes.

THE DINING CARS AND MOUNTAIN HOTELS of this route are owned and operated by the Company, and their appointments and Cuisine are unexcelled.

For further information, Maps, Guide Books, Rates of Passage, &c., apply to

D. E. BROWN, General Agent.

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.—OCTOBER 27, 1894.			
	No. of Shares	Paid	Closing Quotation

Stock.	Shares.	Par value.	Up.	Cash.
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp.	80,000	£	125	all 80 % sales and sellers
New Issue.				
Bank of China, Japan and Straits.	98,875	£	10	1 1/2 nom.
Lat.	4,250	£	12	1 1/2
National Bank of China, Limited.	£		10 1/2	8 1/2 \$21, nom.
MARINE INSURANCES.				
Canton Insurance Office Co., Ltd.	10,000	£	25 1/2	50 \$144, ex div., sales & sel
China Traders' Insurance Co., Ltd.	24,000	£	85.33	2 1/2 \$61, sellers
North-China Insurance Co., Ltd.	6,000	£	240 1/2	10 \$173, buyers
Straits Insurance Co., Ltd.	30,000	£	10	20 \$16, sellers
Union Marine Society Co., Ltd.	10,000	£	25 1/2	2 \$127, sellers
Yangtze Insurance Association, Ltd.	8,000	£	60	all \$75, buyers
FIRE INSURANCES.				
China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	20,000	£	100	20 \$75, sales
Commercial Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	8,000	£	25 1/2	50 \$180, sellers
Straits Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	20,000	£	100	20 \$129, sales
REINSURERS.				
T'ang & Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd.	12,500	£	125	all 78 % prem.
STEAMBOATS.				
China and Manila S. S. Co., Ltd.	5,000	£	50	all \$65
Douglas Steamship Co., Limited	5,000	£	50	all \$461, sales
C.K. O. and M. Steamboat Co., Ltd.	30,000	£	20	all \$241, sales
Indo-China S. S. Company, Limited	30,000	£	10	all \$40, sales
Swan Landau Company, Limited.	2,000	£	5 1/2	30
China Mutual S. N. Co.	20,000	£	10	10 1/2
Do. (new issue).	20,000	£	10	1 1/2
REFINERIES.				
China Sugar Company, Limited.	15,000	£	100	5 \$148, sellers
Gusson Sugar Company, Limited.	7,000	£	10 1/2	5 \$48, sellers
WHAVER.				
H.K. & Kw. Wharf & Godown Co.	20,000	£	100	all \$57, sellers
Wanchai Warehouse and Storage Company, Limited	2,600	£	50	37 \$40, sellers
LAND AND BUILDING.				
Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Company, Limited	50,000	£	100	50 \$50, sales
Kowloon Land and Building Company.	6,000	£	50	3 1/2 \$16, sellers
Humphreys' Estate & Finance Co.	1,000	£	10	all \$104, nom.
West Point Building Co., Limited.	12,500	£	50	40 \$12, steady
TRAMWAYS.				
H.K. High-Level Tramways Co., Ltd.	1,200	£	100	all \$70
Mining.				
Jelebu Mining & Trading Co., Ltd.	45,000	£	5	all \$44, ex div., sales & bu
Pontian Mining Co., Ltd.	50,000	£	4	38 \$44, sales
Société Française des Charbonnages du Tonkin	8,000	Fr.	500	Fr. 500 \$45, sales and sellers
New Balmoral Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	15,000	£	10	all \$2, sellers
Raub Aust. Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	200,000	£	1	13/10 \$5.10, sellers
Société Française des Houillères de Touraine	8,000	Fr.	500	all nom.
PLACING, ETC.				
China Finance Company, Ltd.	7,500	£	100	all
H. G. Brown & Co., Limited.	6,000	£	50	all \$4, sellers
Hotels, ETC.				
Hongkong Hotel Company, Ltd.	6,000	£	50	all \$3, sales
ENTREPRENEURS.				
A. B. Watson & Co., Limited.	50,000	£	10	all \$104, sales and buyers
Dakin, Criswick & Co., Ltd.	50,000	£	5	all \$1
SCULPTING.				
H.K. and China Gas Co., Limited.	7,000	£	10	all \$125, buyers
Hongkong Electric Co., Limited.	30,000	£	10	5 \$4, sellers
BRICK AND CEMENT.				
Green Island Cement Co., Ltd.	20,000	£	50	all \$5, buyers
Hongkong Portland Cement Co., Ltd.	4,000	£	15	12 1/2 \$4, sellers
WAGGLEDAY.				
Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited	1,200	£	70	all \$4, sellers
Geo. Farwick & Co., Limited	6,000	£	25 1/2	35 \$19, nom.
Hongkong Bakery Company, Ltd.	600	£	50	all \$38
Hongkong Dairy Farm Co.	2,000	£	10	all \$5, sellers
Hongkong Ice Company, Limited.	5,000	£	25	all \$75
Hong Kong Manufactory Co., Ltd.	3,000	£	50	all \$10, nominal
Founder's shares.				
Loans.	Amount.	Value.	Interest.	Quotation.
Chinese Imperial 1836	Tls. 787,200	Tls. 250	7 1/2 % annu.	10 % prem., sales
DEBENTURES.				
Hongkong Hotel Mortgage Debenture, 1849	\$ 400,000	\$500	6 1/2 % annu.	\$500

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